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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b) is a nonprovisional patent application:

For (Title): CLIPPING CIRCUIT AND IMAGE PROCESSING DEVICE EMPLOYING
SUCH A CLIPPING CIRCUIT

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- ☒ 34 pages of Specification is attached.
☒ Drawings (5 sheets) is attached.
☒ Priority of Japanese Application No. 2000-216506 filed on July 17, 2000 is claimed
under 35 U.S.C. §119.

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BASIC FEE		
TOTAL CLAIMS	11 - 20	= 0
INDEP CLAIMS	4 - 3	= 1
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SMALL ENTITY

RATE	FEE
	\$ 355
x 9 =	
x 40 =	
+135 =	
TOTAL	

OR
OR
OR
OR
OR
OR

LARGE ENTITY

RATE	FEE
	\$ 710
x 18	\$ 0
x 80	\$ 80
+270	\$ 0
TOTAL	\$ 790

- ☒ A check for the filing fee is not enclosed at this time.

Respectfully submitted,



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